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**The President's Triumphal Trip.**

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—[Special.]—The journey of President Arthur has resulted in a triumphant one, so far as the weather is concerned. The special train of four private cars and parlor car bearing the presidential party left Washington at 8 o'clock A. M. on Monday morning, the president and cabinet occupying the central car. White Sulphur Springs, Virginia, the first stopping place, was reached after a pleasant ride of seven hours, and while breakfast was being served in the dining room of the hotel there, the president and his party were driven to the Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs, where the first stop was made. Here the president was joined by Governor Jackson, of West Virginia, who had come from Charleston to meet the party. Governor Jackson entered the car and was introduced to the president and cabinet officers. He was followed by a delegation of citizens, who were presented to the president. Governor Jackson then left the train, and the party proceeded on their journey. Governor Jackson, with his staff and escort, followed the train on horseback for a distance of several miles, and then returned to Charleston. The train reached Cincinnati at 6:30 P. M., where it remained over night. The party left Cincinnati at 8:30 A. M. on Tuesday, and reached Chicago at 2:30 P. M. The train was met at the depot by Governor Cullom, Mayor Harrison, and a committee of citizens, who escorted the party to the Grand Pacific Hotel, where they were received by a large crowd. The party left Chicago at 8:30 P. M. on Tuesday, and arrived at Milwaukee at 9:30 P. M. Returning, arrives at Albany at 8:55 P. M.

**Pennsylvania Democrats in Convention.**

HARRISBURG, Aug. 1.—The Democratic convention assembled at 9 A. M. and was called to order by Chairman Hensel. The list of delegates was completed, and for the first time in the history of the state women were admitted. Robert N. Wright of Lehigh county was chosen temporary chairman by acclamation, together with the necessary officers for the temporary organization. Mr. Hensel offered a resolution that the committee on credentials, if one delegate from each congressional district, be appointed by the chairman, was adopted, and the convention adjourned until 2 P. M. The convention by very harmonious and the indications point to the nomination of Bastress and Hensel, with Captain Robert E. James of Northampton will likely be selected as permanent chairman.

**National Total Abstinence.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Delegates to the convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence union of America assembled in Brooklyn to-day. This is the fifth annual convention, and delegates were present from all parts of the country. After assembling, the delegates proceeded to the cathedral, where solemn high mass was celebrated. Bishop Laughlin made a brief address of welcome and encouragement. The delegates, who numbered 800, preceded by a band of music, marched to the meeting hall, where the convention was organized. Jos. E. Collier of Wirma, Minn., president of the national union, presided, and Philip A. Nolan, general secretary, recorded.

**Marriage of Osmond Tearle.**

DENVER, August 1.—Osmond Tearle, leading man of Wallack's company, was married this morning to Minnie Maddern, well known stage beauty. The wedding occurred in Miss Rose Coghlan's room, at the Windsor hotel, Rev. Charles Hyde officiating, and a wedding breakfast was provided by Miss Coghlan, which makes very elegant affair. Tearle was recently divorced in New York, and Miss Conway was also recently divorced from her husband, Giles Levy, the famous chemist. The affair has caused a sensation. Miss Coghlan's efforts is being made to keep the details of the marriage quiet.

**The Boston Failure.**

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—Some disappointment was felt this morning in assignee of other failures which might follow Sawyer's suspension, but none were announced except that of Manson & Greenwood, the footing of an pending over the failure by a new's failure rose into spin on the thing will come out without trouble. It will be nothing else, perhaps, than by the settlement of the affairs of S. & Bros.' concern. The property covers in some territory and is it so in my forms, that the closing of securities for him time before an account of the stock can be taken.

**Indian Intrigance to be Aired.**

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Senator Dawes of Massachusetts, chairman of the committee appointed by the senate to investigate the condition of Indians or Dakota and Montana reservations, is in the city. The other members of the committee are Senators Logan of Illinois, Cameron of Wisconsin, Morgan of Arkansas and Delegate Maginnis of Montana. They are expected to arrive to-morrow, when a plan for the investigation will be outlined. It is expected that the committee will leave for Fort Keogh on Saturday night.

**The Hill Investigation.**

WASHINGTON, July 31.—To-day in the Hill investigation Colonel Woodward was asked if an expert with him in the matter of Appraisal in the Chicago custom house. It is claimed that he had made an examination of all the steam fitting in the building and found that they differed only by from the specifications. He estimated that a saving of fully 20 per cent. had accrued to the Government by their failure to comply with the letter of the contract.

King continued his testimony in reference to heat for the Chicago custom house. He believed that the heating apparatus could not heat more than one-half the building, the boilers not large enough, and the iron not of sufficient thickness, which, he said, would cause the walls of the building, when heated, to crack. The machinery had been according to specification the building would have been perfect heaven.

**Heavy Rent on Shoe Fellows.**

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—The Journal says: Charles S. Ward & Co. boot and shoe manufacturers of Boston and Brockton to-day made an assignment to Joseph Chickering for the benefit of creditors; liabilities, in the neighborhood of $200,000; assets at present unknown. Ward & Co. owe the firm about $80,000.

**Business Failure.**

LANCASTER, Aug. 1.—A Lancaster Watch Company suspended to-day, owing 250 hands out of employment. The suspension was occasioned by the failure of A. Bellmer, the manager and principal stockholder of the company. The directors state that the suspension is only temporary.

**Coopers on a Strike.**

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 1.—Coopers in nine different shops in north St. Louis to-day struck for higher wages, they demand seven cents per barrel, and ten cents for making full hand-made barrels. They have been getting five and eight cents. About ninety men are out.

**Will Shut Down.**

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—It was stated this morning that as a result of the rise of wor men in the rolling mills at south Chicago, where 1,000 men are usually employed, the management has decided to shut down for an indefinite period.

**Passengers Arriving To-night.**

MEMPHIS, Aug. 1.—[Special.]—Passengers through to-day and to-night on the Portland; T. L. Erskine, F. A. McFaul, J. Mc Brady and F. S. Bangs, of Storm City, Iowa.

**Small Reduction of the Public Debt.**

WASHINGTON, August 1.—It is said at the treasury department that the reduction of the public debt for July will be unusually small, there be say. An estimate cannot be given.

**The Senatorial Contest.**

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 1.—In the thirty-ninth ballot for United States senator to-day, Pike gained 2 over Carpenter's vote. Burn 10 and Marston 2. Chandler out.

**Coins are at Philadelphia.**

PHILADELPHIA, August 1.—Coinage of the mint here the past month aggregated 3,696,000 pieces, valued at $1,859,80 . The amount includes 1,500,000 silver dollars.

## FOREIGN NEWS.

### THE KILLING OF CAREY.

### Further Particulars of O'Donnell's Rash Deed—The Latter Sent Away by Captain Cameron.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—A correspondent at Cape Town says: O'Donnell took passage for Cape Town, but learning that Carey was to follow as a passenger, he continued on the journey with him and the steamer Melrose, and shot him when that steamer was close to Algoa bay, in the presence of the informer's family. O'Donnell is in strong custody. There is no reason to apprehend that an attempt to rescue him will be made. A fund to be used for defending him is being collected.

**O'DONNELL ACKNOWLEDGES THE MURDER.**

CAPE TOWN, Aug. 1.—O'Donnell was examined before a Port Elizabeth magistrate to-day on a charge of murder of James Carey, the informer. According to the evidence given, Carey and O'Donnell had been drinking in the second cabin just before the murder. When the steamer was half way between Table bay and Algoa bay O'Donnell suddenly shot Carey in the neck with a revolver. Carey staggered away. O'Donnell followed and shot him twice in the back. Carey fell and O'Donnell struck him on the head with the pistol. O'Donnell says that he was ill at ease in a cage who Powers was. He then determined to kill him. O'Donnell was accompanied by Mrs. Carey. She deposed at the examination that after the murder she asked O'Donnell "why did you shoot my husband?" and he replied "yes, I was sent to do it."

The aforementioned rumors are current that O'Donnell is a relative of Joe Brady, one of the Phœnix park murderers hanged recently, and that this vig is Carey was to settle. Everywhere, described as "rabid in being collected in London to be used in defending O'Donnell.

**NEWS ANTICIPATED.**

LONDON, Aug. 1.—It is worthy of note what humor prevailed in nationalistic circles in London on Sunday night last, when it became known that James Carey had been shot. The item stating that he had been killed was received by the news agency in London at midnight Sunday, but was refused as an authority was given for the statement. It has since been ascertained that a telegram had been received at Exeter, from Brindisi, which was forwarded to London Sunday night reading, "James Carey has been shot: thank God." As the steamer Melrose only touches at Algoa bay, did the message from Brindisi until Monday, either this statement was based on a mere surmise or the statement, which was openly made in certain nationalistic circles to the effect that it had been prearranged to kill Carey on the up Sunday in July was true.

**REJOICING OVER CAREY'S DEATH.**

LONDON, Aug. 1.—A mob gathered scenes of the houses on Abbey street to-night and seized bedding, furniture and other articles with which to make a bon-fire in celebration of the death of James Carey. Effigies of Carey were burned and mock funerals held in various Irish towns to-night.

**ENGLAND.**

**IRISH LAND TROUBLES.**

LONDON, August 1.—A statement signed by Lords Derby, Lansdowne, Leigh, Castleton, Fortescue and other landlords of Ireland has been sent to Gladstone, pointing out the losses of rent and the depreciation of property, and that the latter is due to non-receipt of the passage of the land act, and suggesting state aid in the shape of a loan for the relief of land owners.

The agricultural holdings bill passed the third read ng in the House of Commons to-day.

**TRIAL OF CONSPIRATORS.**

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 1.—In the Stephen, charging a long to-day, evidence was given to the case of the conspirators O Herlihy, Featherstone, Flannigan and Davison, and all the charge against the conspiracy murders would be nearly hot a good unless it was proved that the prisoners intended to commit murder when they attempted to blow up the buildings.

**IMMIGRATION MEMORIALISTS.**

LONDON, July 31.—The colonial secretary has informed the lords that negotiations with Canada in regard to immigration were pending and it was hoped, would result honorably.

**THE CHOLERA.**

LONDON, Aug. 1.—A dispatch from Cairo says the number of deaths there from cholera during the last twenty-four hours was 275.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—A dispatch from Cairo says 226 deaths from cholera occurred in that city yesterday.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Deaths from cholera among the British troops stationed at the forts Monday numbered 8 at Ismailia, one at Cairo, 1 at Hidmoore and 1 at Ramleh. Deaths among natives in Alexandria, exclusive of those at Cairo, number 40, including 17 at Rosetta.

**LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET.**

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 1.—Corn, new mixed, steady at 5 shillings 4 pence.

**ITALY.**

**IMPOSSIBLE TO DESCRIBE GOD'S.**

NAPLES, Aug. 1.—The burial of the victims of the earthquake continued throughout the day. Two hundred and eighty bodies were interred in Ischia on the 30th and 31st, and 29 at Forio. The latest estimates place the number of deaths at between 600 and 6000. As many of the bodies have been found and bury at the bodies, the general minister of public works has ordered that in view of the horrible sensations from the decomposed bodies, unrecovered corpses be left where they lie and liquid-lime be poured over them. The ruins made by the earthquake at Casamicciola will then be converted into one vast cemetery.

VIENNA, Aug. 1.—This municipality voted a large sum of money for the rel ef of earthquake sufferers in Ischia.

**A WARNING SHOCK KEPT SECRET.**

ROME, Aug. 1.—Private telegrams have been received stating there was an earthquake in Ischia on the 23d of July, but that the fact was hushed up by the authorities for fear that if reports were sent abroad visitors would be deterred from visiting the place.

**FRANCE.**

**FRANCE WELL PLEASED.**

PARIS, Aug. 1.—The action of the British house of commons on the Suez canal question gives satisfaction to the press and people of France, and is considered a guarantee of the friendly relations between France and Tunis will be submitted to the chamber of deputies to-morrow. It confirms the establishment of a French protectorate.

**APOLLO COMMANDERY IN PARIS.**

PARIS, Aug. 1.—Apollo Commandery Knights Templar, of Chicago, are now here, visiting various objects of interest in the city.

**SPAIN.**

**REUNION OF THE KING AND QUEEN.**

MADRID, Aug. 1.—King Alfonso and Queen Christina arrived at the royal palace yesterday even ng. The king went to the cortes to meet his wife and children. The first flattering whisper may have been a word of truth in the same. The only intention on passengers for the Pacific coast. Their baggage which has been remodelled, and the cabins will be in shape for the journey. E. J. KIMB.

**GERMANY.**

**DISASTROUS FIRE.**

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—A large building on Kopnitzker strasse in this city, used as a manufactory of vel vet, burned last night. The loss is heavy. Three firemen were killed by falling walls.

**WEST INDIES.**

**RESIGNED FROM THE ARMY.**

HAVANA, August 1.—General Prendergast, captain-general of Cuba, has resigned, owing to ill health. General Chinchilla, vice-captain-general, also has resigned. General Cadello has been appointed General Prendergast's successor.

## ACCIDENTAL.

**TRAIN COLLISION.**

PITTSBURG, Aug. 1.—A Troy and Boston freight train collided this morning at Pruden's, N. Y. The smashing of both trains were wrecked, and it is reported that six persons were killed, all employes, one named Sullivan of this city, and another Barrett. The wreck caught fire.

TROY, N. Y. August 1.—The names of the passengers killed in the collision are Miss Sutherland and Charles Masterman, Troy; John Barrett, conductor, Troy, and H. H. Bruce, operator of the Troy and Greenfield railroad. Twelve cars are burned. Engine has been sent to the scene from this city and Hoosac Falls. Johnson, night operator at Petersburg junction is blamed for the collision. He had been given orders to hold one train at the junction, and neglected to transfer his instructions to the day operator, who, in his ignorance, allowed the train to pass.

## THE TURF.

**AT CLEVELAND.**

CLEVELAND, July 31.—Trotting, class 2:29—Nexy Cobb won, George D 2d, Allegheny Boy 3d; time, 2:24¼, 2:23¾, 2:24¼, 2:23¾, 2:23¾, 2:24¼, 2:23¾, 2:24¼, 2:23¾, 2:24¼

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THURSDAY MORNING, AUG. 1, 1883.

## THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY AND "PROTECTION."

In the democratic party there is likely disagreement over the policy to be pursued on the tariff question. It is quite certain that the free trade or tariff-for-revenue only wing of the party is stronger in numbers than the protectionist wing; but the representatives of the latter have been able for a long time to control the action of the party. It is true that in 1880 a platform declaring in favor of tariff for revenue was adopted, but this happened through the neglect of the protectionists, who will take care that it does not occur again. From 1874 to 1880 the house of representatives contained a strong democratic majority, and for a considerable part of the period the senate was democratic also; yet no effort was made to bring the tariff to revenue basis. The speaker of the house, Mr. Randall, a Pennsylvania, protested the protectionists at every point. He now canvasses for the speakership again, with a fair prospect of winning it. But his election is strongly opposed by a large section of his party on the ground that it would commit the party to the support of the protective system. The Louisville *Courier-Journal* says: "The next congress will decide whether or not we are to have tariff reform, whether or not the taxation is to be reduced, whether or not the tariff tax system which robs the many for the benefit of the few is to be continued. There is no escaping this issue with honor. The democrats were elected to do this work of reform. They cannot avoid it if they would. The popular demand for a radical change is irresistible; it must be satisfied." This is presented as an impossible objection to Randall, of whom the same paper says: "To put him speaker is to reverse the wheels of reform, to accept a leader out of the hands of the enemy and to set aside a negative and care, fully laid plan of campaign at the bidding of the republicans, who, after Judge Kelly, prefer Mr. Randall. In a word, the election of Mr. Randall will do for the republicans what they cannot do for themselves and will be heralded by the republican press as a republican triumph. This the democratic party is in no mood to submit to."

The dilemma to the democratic party is a very serious one. Usually an effort to dodge political difficulties will succeed, because political issues in the main are abstract questions, and on matters of opinion the "drift wood-monger can often bring about an accommodation. But here is a subject which defies treatment of this kind. The protectionists are in earnest. The question for them is concrete, tangible, real. The protection system brings them heavy profits, and they naturally intend to maintain it, but are resolved to see that it is not put in peril. Hence they will be satisfied with nothing less than unequivocal declarations in favor of protection; and democratic protectionists will insist upon such declarations all the more strongly because they know that their party really inclines to free trade, or to a strictly revenue tariff. The opinion of it all will be that the party, because it cannot do without the support of the protectionists, will yield the point for the sake of success or the hope of success. But it will still remain to be seen whether the "reverse reformers" of the party will fall in line and give the party in these circumstances a true and effective support, and also whether such professions of fidelity to protection as the democratic party may make will, after all, keep any great part of the protectionists from supporting the republican ticket under the conviction that the cause of protection will be safer in republican hands.

## LOTTERIES AND THEIR ADVOCATES.

Much business said, in past times, about the administration of President Hayes, and while there is no man in modern history who has more completely faded out of sight, yet occasional boom-waves will recall some act of his administration which deserved more than passing commendation. It is well known that lotteries are prohibited in many states of the Union, while in a few others they have been licensed under the specious pretense of dividing a modest share of their ill-gotten gains with the public chest of the state. No state, however, can afford to be placed in such a position as that of a dependent upon the profits of such a vice as gambling. It should not license lotteries, either, while prohibiting fare and monte by statutes prescribing fines and terms of imprisonment for their violation and infringement.

When D. M. Key was appointed postmaster general by President Hayes, he inaugurated a crusade against the lotteries, particularly those of Louisiana, Kentucky and New York, the latter being owned by Benjamin Wood, a brother of the late Fernando. The Louisiana lottery has gained considerable notoriety from the fact that it is nominally managed by two ex-confederate generals, Early and Beauregard. These two worthies receive a small salary for the use of their names, but have no real voice in the management of the lottery, which is in fact controlled by a person named Dauphin, failing in all other attempts to enlist Beauregard and others of his ilk, Key finally issued a circular prohibiting the issuance of money orders to any person attempting to remit money to Dauphin, Wood Eddy & Co., or any other advertised lottery managers. This order was kept in force until Key went out of office. His successor made no attempt to enforce the rule and the lotteries were soon in full blast again. No doubt the lotteries were utilized for campaign purposes as were the star routes, and under the stalwart regime of Timothy O. Lowe the Key order seems to have been altogether forgotten. But when Postmaster General Jonas has succeeded to the postoffice portfolio he has revived the order and not only forbidden the issuance of money orders to parties intending to remit money to lottery dealers, but also revives Judge Key's sensible order, which prohibited the carrying of lottery advertisements and circulars in the mail bags, even when such circulars were fully covered by postage stamps. The clear-cut and chivalric way with which Judge Graham disposes of these cases shows him to be the right man in the right place.

In this connection it may be well to note the fact that an alleged newspaper published in this city, of which the postmaster at this place is one of the principal owners and most active managers, worked and published lottery advertisements in defiance of the action of this state prohibiting not only lotteries within the state, but the special privilege the advertisement of papers within the limits of any lotteries whatever. The latest publication of this sort was in the issue of postcards, and may be seen by any one who can read. The publishment attached to the commission of this offense is laid down on page 438 of the revised codes, and consists of imprisonment in the county jail from one month to six, with the addition of $50 to $200 in the discretion of the court before whom a conviction is had for such offense. While Judge Graham is doing his best to suppress lottery gambling the subordinate in this city is living into the hands of the lottery sharks by helping his newspaper. It is a nice commission of affairs for Judge Graham to contemplate if his attention were called to the fact.

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At the very last, it was a violation of law on the part of the mayor to nominate L. Besse, a man repudiated most emphatically only a little while ago by the people, for a place under the city government. The council acted properly in endorsing the popular verdict by prompt rejection.

It is not likely that "Lem" Boots will get the city printing. His nomination was an insult and more, a mean sneer of the mayor.

## THE MATTER OF A CAREER.

The American people like all other peoples in progressive temperaments, often allow follies to run away with their judgment, but the personal practical sense never fails to set them right in the end. One of the most important reforms in popular sentiment, within the past few years, has been in regard to the relative dignity of professional and business life. The time is within the memory of very young men when to "amount to something" in the world a man had to be of the professions—lawyer preferred. It was the purpose of nearly every right boy to "read law," and the ambition of nearly every father of the better class was to see his son settled in life as a lawyer. Law was the great aim-all, not always attained of itself, but often as a means to what was considered still higher—the business of politics, and many a noble life was wrecked in this foolish race. The supply of lawyers and politicians soon far exceeded the demand and a great crowd of helpless and hopeless failures rifted and still drift about over the country, flooding the youth of the land a practical lesson which they have had the good sense to heed.

Within ten years the attention of American boys has been withdrawn from the professions and directed toward business. It has been seen that the chances of success—success consisting of something more substantial than the bubble reputation, which is usually the most the lawyer or politician can hope for, according to the popular idea, are better in business than in any other walk of life outside of agriculture. It has been learned, too, that business affords equal opportunities with the law for the display of the best talents, and that the share in affairs of the business man, is greater than that of the lawyer, excepting, of course, in the cases of the very few. Experience of the uncertainties of politics as a profession and of the hollowness of politics, fame, have done much on the one hand to correct wrong ideas on the question of "a career," and the broadening of business methods and opportunities has done much on the other. Certain it is, that the number of young men preparing for professional life is proportionally much smaller than formerly, particularly in the cities.

Another reform in American sentiment is still to be accomplished. It is in relation to city and country life. By some unaccountable means we have, as a people, gotten rid of the good old English notion that the men of the soil are the men of the nation—perhaps because land is so plentiful and cheap. It is unmindful that young men will leave the fairest opportunities of independence and even of affluence in the country as owners and tillers of the soil, to become dependent underlings—harshly disciplined, overworked and poorly paid—in the cities. The idea that there is about the business of the clerk or small store-keeper a genuility foreign to the independent business of agriculture is as unreasonable and absurd that it is impossible to understand how it originated. American good sense may safely be relied upon to effect a reform in this important matter.

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All the towns through which the visiting party from the east, comprising the first train over the Northern Pacific, will pass on their way to Portland and Puget sound, will doubtless make some appropriate demonstration in honor of the event. The completion of the great railroad demands a token of recognition from all points touched by the road, and firing of guns, ringing of bells and display of colors, with the usual American accompaniment of speech-making, may be expected. Portland, from her rank and position, will be looked to by the country as the place which ought to take the lead in celebration of the great event. To make the demonstration as effective as possible, suspension of the regular course of business for a day would be desirable. The activity of a holiday would be an appropriate thing for the occasion.

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The great extension of business within the past few years has developed within it hundreds of kinds of employment, each of which demands not only the best ability and thorough general mental training, but special qualifications. The business world, as well as the mechanics, world, is running to specialties. For example, the various business operations relating to the manufacture and sale of hardware have come to be practical engagements calling for special training. A year ago, a young man recently graduated from a western college, was called to Oregon to conduct the business of an iron-working establishment, at a salary of $1000 a month. He had earned a particular business better than a dollar men. Another young man, who knew more than other men about grain elevator systems, was called to Oregon to examine the situation here in reference to that business, and was paid more than $10,000 for two months' work. In every department of business now the men who have taken one thing, stuck to it and earned it thoroughly, are taking positions which are not excelled in the points of responsibility or reward by any professional position. Practically, many professions have grown up in business.

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The statement that responsible parties have offered to mile the Astoria road for the land grant and present the road after its completion to the company is received by persons representing the part of the second part with wild incredulity. The Oregonian is assured that the company would only be too glad to accept an offer which would imply a gift of three millions of dollars. At present an effort is making to ascertain by actual survey whether in view of the nature of the country and the probable amount of traffic, with the land grant thrown in, it will be a sound business enterprise to undertake the construction of the road or not. If that be decided in the affirmative, construction will soon be undertaken and pushed to completion. If in the negative, the enterprise will be given up and the land reverts without objection from the company to the public domain. Mr. Willard says the company, if it does not decide to build the road, will not attempt, as it does not desire, to hold the land.

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A recent number of the London *Economist* enumerates the semi-annual dividends of the principal joint-stock banks in England, the lowest dividend per annum being that of the London and Yorkshire, which paid five per cent, while six of thirteen corporations, eight each paid ten per cent, or more, four paid each fifteen per cent. or more, and one, the Birmingham, paid twenty per cent. as it has during the past five years with entire regularity. Similar dividends says the Boston *Advertiser*, are common on the continent of Europe, while no great country on earth rewards banking and banking capital less than we do. And of all banking houses are probably the only ones the capital of which is held, not so much by the rich, as by widows, orphans and trust estates. The day is certainly near when demagogues denounced our national banks as monopoly, but the time has not yet come when capital will be attracted by the dividends of our banks.

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The south is ceasing to have any political principles which do not really yield to actively interest in "appropriations." For example in Louisiana this idea of "practical politics" finds illustration thus: "How do you democrats stand on the presidential question?" asked a Chicago reporter of Mr. McConnell, a leading citizen of New Orleans. "The personal preferences of nearly all our heads are decreased for Mr. Tilden," replied McConnell; "but," he added, "we are for no man who has not pronounced in favor of improving the Mississippi river."

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The liquor ordinance introduced some time ago by Gerlee, city chairman and beer jerker, was rejected last night by the council, which also gave Mr. Besser leave to get his living without the city's help. The free whisky ring doesn't appear to be having matters all its own way.

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## NEW TO-DAY.

A COTTAGE FOR RENT AND FURNITURE for sale. Rent $15. The furniture has been used only two months; a nice location; everything nearly new. Inquire on the premises of the undersigned or it can be bought—part cash, balance in monthly payments. Inquire of OSCAR KILGORE, 402 Davis street.

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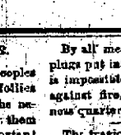


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6 Chromos and Oil Paintings; 2 Rose Doctor Books;
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| Place of Observation | Height above sea level | Thermometer | Direction of Wind | Velocity of Wind | State of Weather |
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| Portland | 50.00 | 68 | SW | 4 | Clear |
| Astoria | 20.00 | 62 | NW | 3 | Cloudy |
| Cape Hancock | 30.00 | 57 | SE | 1 | Clear |
| Cape Disappointment | 30.00 | 58 | E | 0 | Clear |
| Port Townsend | 30.00 | 58 | E | 0 | Clear |

## AUCTION SALES.

Gilman & Caswell will sell at auction furniture and carpets at residence on Fifth st. between H and I, at 10 A. M. to-morrow.

P. O'Connor will sell a lot of furniture, piano and pianos at Union hall, East Portland, at forenoon sale, at 10 A. M. to-morrow

## CITY.

WELCOME SHOWER.—At about 12:30 o'clock yesterday persons who were on the street were surprised to see drops of water falling from the clouds, and in a moment a gentle rain of rain commenced falling the first with which we have been favored for almost two months. In a few brief minutes the gutters became large pouring canals much resembling chocolate in color and consistency but with a different odor. Everybody was taken unawares and street hacks could be hired for love or money fully adapted to the circumstance, and, as for umbrellas, many a one was to be seen, those ancient articles having been laid away and that so long before they had been forgotten. Many sought the shelter of awnings but soon found that it discovered the rain leaks and blended the gentle rain, which falls upon the unjust and the unjust alike in a deluge sufficient to drench the most confirmed saturnalian. The atmosphere is much grateful and pleasanter now for having had a smoke and dust. The shower continued for about half an hour, when it ceased, and a flash of lightning was seen followed by a peal of thunder, and it again the shower again commenced falling which tallied the first half of an hour only to cease and the sun again shone forth in all its splendor. The rain fell chiefly in the north portion of the city, and the long-parched pastoral property of the suburbs may we also have received its due degree of all.

DELAYED BY SMOKE AND FOG.—The steamer Willamette West, which should have returned to her dock in this city Monday evening, did not arrive until yesterday morning at o'clock. She was delayed in the Sound by the dense fog, remaining over three hours by the same fog in Admiralty inlet, and by smoke made the air so thick for navigation, consequently she did not reach Astoria until 2 o'clock in the afternoon. She left on her return trip, having on board a number of our citizens who have been spending the latter portion of July by the sound, arriving at on Monday, the smoke and fog again become so dense that the boat was made fast to the dock for the night. Rainbow

Willamette West—Capt. Wm. Rainbow—was built by Thos. Cox, and launched from the yard of Cox & Mason, at Portland, in the year 1862. She is a propeller, of 250 tons burthen, and is 150 feet in length, 26 feet beam, and 8 feet hold. Her engines were built by the Portland Company, and are of 150 horse power. She is owned by the Willamette Transportation Company, and is commanded by Capt. Wm. Rainbow, who has been in charge of her since she was launched. She is a staunch boat, and has been a favorite with the traveling public.

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WELL-DESERVED CREDIT.—J. W. Davis the undertaker and who kept a home near Rooster Rock, through for three days ago yesterday for the 200 cent by the Montana wind boys by whom he conveyed to express the thanks and to all other contributors. He will be at the Metropolis hotel with his family until Saturday contributions can be left at his office or at the hotel. He will go back to Montana next week. The Oregon and California and office granted a week's extension to pay balance from his purchase from those county Judge Hoyt Marquis and Mr. Davis necessitate and lasting gem to be at that was first stated and the sum bid. If most deserving manner an appropriate sing out of the Montana "Old Pacific" Met a Thank of high Rem Mr. Davis has long been a customer, and interested himself in the matter and person of interest to be sure, but the persons who freely contributed small sums. Other persons are in donning of clothes for both the parents and children I is pleasing to notice such generosities of city visitors

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### A Batch of Police Nominations—Some Confirmed, Some Not.

### GERDES' 1000 LIQUOR ORDINANCE KILLED.

### Judge Adams Elected President of the Council—Homer Puts Up His Head Again and Gets It Whacked—Standing Committees.

The city council met in regular session last night, Mayor Chapman in the chair and all members except Adams present. There was a considerable crowd in the lobby.

POLICE APPOINTMENTS.

The mayor submitted communications making the following police appointments: J. F. Hair, captain of police vice Charles Geitzmacher, confirmed by a vote of five to three. Chittenden, Honeyman and Smith voting in the negative.

A. F. Turner captain of police vice T. P. Luther confirmed by a unanimous vote.

L. Besser as policeman vice W. A. Beaumont, rejected by a tie vote, Chittenden, Honeyman, Sears and Smith voting in the negative.

W. A. Hart as policeman vice James A. Mott confirmed by a vote of five to three, Honeyman Sears and Smith voting in the negative.

F. M. Arnold as policeman vice J. Watson; referred to committee on fees and police.

Patrick Regan as policeman vice W. W. Beach confirmed by a vote of five to three, Honeyman, Scoggin and Smith voting in the negative.

Thomas Reed as police Judge vice D. A. Moreland referred to committee on health and police.

John C. Flynn as policeman vice D. W. Dobbins, referred to committee on health and police.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The mayor then announced the following standing committees:

Ways and Means—Sears, Andros and Gerdes.

Accounts and Current Expenses—Haley Scoggin and Adams.

Fire and Water—Andros Sears and Smith.

Streets and Public Property—Scoggin Adams and Gerdes.

Landings and Wharves—Smith Scoggin and Adams.

Judiciary—Judge Chittenden and Haley.

Health and Police—Gerdes Sears and Andros.

Elections—Chittenden Honeyman and Smith.

Commerce—Honeyman, Chittenden and Haley.

Special committee on dredger—Gerdes Andros and Sears.

PETITIONS, ETC.

From J. K. Robertson and others, asking that Mill street sewer be extended to Ninth street. Referred to committee on streets.

From J. Keil, asking for the improvement of A street between Third and Fourth. Same reference.

From M. Tierney and others asking that Jefferson street be extended from Twelfth street and widened to a width of 80 feet. Same reference.

From Anna Van Kennalis asking that Yamhill street, between First and Second, be improved by macadamizing. Same reference.

From the several insurance companies represented here, asking rel of from the payment of license. Referred to committee on judiciary.

From Frank Dolman and others asking for a change of grade of Eleventh street, between Morrison and Yamhill streets, granted.

From the Multnomah street railway company accepting terms of franchise.

From the Portland water company suggesting that hydrants or fire plugs be placed where improvements now being made by the company on Third street from Lincoln to G while the street layout open and recommending that ten such hydrants be placed. Referred to committee on streets and fire and water.

From G. B. Flanders and others asking that the grade of B street at North Twenty-second, be raised. Granted.

From Wm. Steobe and others remonstrating against the improvement of Nor h Nineteenth street. Referred to committee on streets.

REPORTS.

From the committee on pays and means reporting that they had paid note and interest, amounting to $20,080, held by Ladd & Tilton, placed on file.

From the viewers of the proposed extension of North Twenty-second street, report read to committee on streets.

From the city surveyor in the proposed extension of B street and the proposed lateral extension of Sevenths street; same reference.

CLAIMS ORDERED PAID.

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| Portland Gas Co | $2,428 77 | S. H. Butler | $ 20 00 |
| M. Tierney | 2,428 77 | J. Hairpruner | 218 50 |
| Ashfield & Pike | 1270 87 | A. Hunter | 31 00 |
| W. S. Keller | 40 00 | J. F. Robinson | 200 00 |
| W. T. Noyer | 23 00 | Fifth Iron Works | 36 00 |
| E. W. Paget | 94 5 | Geo. A. Pease | 280 86 |
| W. W. Chapman Jr | 24 00 | E. Hafen | 2 50 |
| Geo. Lambert | 16 25 | Emile St. Sly & Co | 41 30 |
| C. C. Dodelbower | 47 75 | A. M. Smith | 82 |
| J. Conller | 54 00 | Geo. Link | 22 00 |
| Geo. Co | 22a 00 | A. Neal | 12 |
| S. Hedges | 15 00 | P. F. Lonel & Co | 4920 70 |
| Evening Telegram | 49 25 | J. F. Sefferz & Co | 1411 60 |
| S. B. Schwab | 9 00 | W. Tierney | 4471 08 |
| Peter Clinker | 3 00 | P. Lonel & Co | 28 53 |

NEW ORDINANCES.

Appropriating $300 out of the general fund to pay for repairs to streets and bridges passed.

Adopting report of the city surveyor in the extension of B street read twice.

Declaring probable cost of improving North Fifteenth street and making appropriation therefor passed.

To change the grade of B street at Twenty-second street read twice.

Adopting report of the viewers in the proposed extension of B street read twice.

Appropriating $100 out of the general fund to pay for police department clerk, passed.

ENDORSED ORDINANCES.

To change and establish the grade of Lincoln street passed.

Adopting report of city surveyor in the extension of Morris Twenty-First street passed.

Adopting report of city surveyor in the extension of North Twenty-Ninth street passed.

Adopting report of city surveyor in the extension of Harrison street passed.

GERDES' LIQUOR ORDINANCE DEFEATED.

After the clerk had announced that he had reached the bottom of the segregated ordinances Honeyman inquired what had become of Gerdes' liquor ordinance.

Gerdes rose and after some hesitation during which he tried to think of some excuse to make, said that there was a conflict of opinion as to whether the new ordinance would annul the existing ordinance. If it should annul the present ordinance the city will be greatly the loser, and he would hesitate to vote for any ordinance of the kind. He therefore asked as a special favor that action on the ordinance be postponed until the city attorney could give an opinion.

Honeyman opposed postponement. Some liquor dealers had paid the present license and he did not feel like making fish of one and fowl of the other and moved that the ordinance be read a third time and place on its final passage.

Gerdes moved that it be postponed until the next meeting, lost by the following vote—Yeas Gerdes and Haley; nays Chittenden Honeyman Scoggins Adams and Smith.

Honeyman's motion prevailed and on the third reading the ordinance did not get a single vote.

PRESENTATION OF THE COUNCIL.

Gerdes moved that the council proceed to the election of a president of the body and nominated Councilman Adams.

The yeas and nays were called for and resulted as follows:

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## STREETS AND SEWERS.

### The New Street Commissioner's Report to the City Council.

Last night Mr. or Allard of Sears superintendent of streets, submitted the following communication to the council. It was referred to the committee on streets and public property.

To His Honor the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Portland *Gentlemen*.—The following observations are respectfully submitted in accordance with that provision of the law making it the duty of the Street Superintendent to report to the Common Council, from time to time, such suggestions and recommendations as to matters connected with his department as he may deem expedient."

THE DECAPITATION OF THE DEPARTMENT.

By the charter last created to the city of Portland the street department has been completely remodeled making the office in charge of the city engineer upon plans, under his responsibility many of its duties formerly pertaining to the city surveyor.

The additional requirements are stated in section 57 and 58 of the new charter, and are as follows:

First—It is superintendent of streets shall possess the qualifications of a civil engineer.

Second—All plans and specification for the construction, improvement or repairs of all public streets, sewers, parks, grounds, highways, bridges, sewers and street lamps shall be made by him or under his supervision.

Third—A detailed estimate for each work shall be filed by him in his office.

Fourth—He shall have supervision of all surveys of streets, sewers and parks, and of all construction, improvements and repairs herein specified whether such work is done by contract or otherwise.

Fifth—The surveyor shall make all such surveys and estimates of such work which may be required of him by the superintendent of streets.

This is a full statement of all the duties of the street superintendent, but simply the duties superadded to the office by this new charter.

In accordance with the law a request has been made for the necessary maps and documents to take charge of the plans and surveys and the answer of the city so every is now awaited.

NEED REQUIRED.

As the work above named will much of it be attended to by the surveyor under my direction it is deemed necessary to increase the working force of his department by more than the addition of one man. I would be employed as a clerk and draughtsman in the office.

STREET CLEANING.

An attempt has been made to enforce the ordinance requiring occupants and owners to clean the streets opposite their premises. The ordinances is generally disregarded and its enforcement is extremely difficult.

If the streets were cleaned throughout the yearly outlay would have been improved and paid for by abutters at the prices they claim to have paid whenever cleaning has been done, it would be a saving of thousands of dollars annually. And when done the streets are not clean.

I respectfully respectfully represent to the council that all the laws of the city may be enforced and creditable manner with the use of the improved machinery for the purpose, at a cost of $1200 to $2000 per month according to the character of the work done.

PAVEMENTS.

Given the issuer of those two items may be reduced by a system of taxation for the improvement of streets, and the adoption of the macadamized system.

My attention has been several times, and by various persons, called to the character of paving.

It may be said generally that if a city street is regularly graded and kept in good repair, a street that will keep itself in repair under the traffic of heavy and continuous moving carriages, such a street has yet to be invented.

But there is no reason why our macadamized streets may not be as durable, and at the same time as agreeable, as any street in the world.

There are well built, and in the hands of excellent material, but they receive absolutely no attention while they are from the hands of the contractor into the hands of the city.

Upon its proper treatable or the occupants abutting to keep up the repairs.

If our macadamized streets should be thoroughly wet with the sprinkling carts at least twice a week in the dry season instead of sweeping the dust from their surfaces and a roller should be placed at the disposition of the street department for the when required.

The same is me light brooms and rakes may be had for a few dollars, together with a team to run the loose stone into the middle of the street before the roller is applied.

GARBAGE.

It is difficult to find a place for depositing the garbage from the streets and gutters of the city. In the east side material is sought by persons having low ground to fill, and is cheaper than to haul to the small portion of the street sweepings consists of. Excessive y deleterious matter. There is no reason why it may not be deposited on certain portions of Sandlow lots in north officers and except all I found no prejudice on the part of property holders.

It is hoped that the railroad company will not object to the deposit of dirt from the Stark street cut. Much labor at once the small proportion of perishable matter contained in the body will be compressed between the heavier material and afford a good foundation for an structures. The question has become a serious one for the city and demands attention.

MAP OF THE CITY.

There is not a complete map of the city of Portland in the office of the city government.

I have therefore begun the compilation of such a map for the purposes of presenting a view of the public improvements in colors and for completing a system of a sewerage much needed by the city.

SEWERS.

While on the subject it is proper to say that while there is abundant danger from the escape of sewer gas into the air there is undoubtedly an exaggeration of the danger. Our sewers, so far as they are constructed are fairly ventilated through manholes of improvement but when with an abundant water supply they are properly flushed and a system of trap is now established at the head they are as healthy as need be.

They may be objectionable now, by discharging into the Willamette river in front of the city and leaving a deposit of putrescence along the shore for the germination of disease, while we are debating water and the Columbia river flushing can obtain a exhilaration gases of filth in solution.

DISEASE CAUSES.

It belongs to the attention of the council to the expediency of preparing a set of diseases charts for the relief each city, that in the office of the health officer to whom every case of zymotic disease is reported would enable this department to watch the condition of sewers, streets and gutters and railroads where he suspects or causes of disease and would lead to the proper correction while every politician in the world respects a system of protection from the knowledge of the diseased center.

STREET SIGNS.

Strangers visiting the city complain of the difficulty of finding our streets, which are not generally distinguished by signs. The street department requires additional authority to provide signs.

LOG RAFTS.

I beg also to ask your attention to the damage done the streets by permitting double lines of railroad tracks, as for instance on Third street. Our streets at that point are 80 feet wide, and the tracks, (16ft) and ample is gained by the railroad companies but neighbors be gained as well by the copying safe long streets with curbs and a down line.

Fourth street is occupied with a steam track that is employed in the erection of the pub to enough to make the sheet of little value for other locomotion, while a dummy or other class of small, engines running half hourly trips to the suburbs would retard the city but little as compared to the loss of rent to the horse cars are run, to accommodate all passengers at a low rate, would be an immense advantage to Portland.

STANDARD OF MEASURE.

There is no standard of measurement in this city, although long since ordered by the government, I respectfully ask permission to provide the city with a perfect testing beam capacity, a United States standard yard in the hands of Mr. Burrage, formerly surveyor which can be had for its cost price, with the government guarantee for $5.

## THE GAMBLER HOMICIDE.

### CORONER'S INQUEST OVER THE REMAINS OF "JIMMY" MOREY.

### Gambling Houses Closed and Gamblers "All Broke Up."—What the Prisoner Says.—Crowds Gathering to View the Remains.

The killing of "Jimmy" Morey by "Billy Acock in the Cosmopolitan gambling hall early yesterday morning was the absorbing topic among the gambling fraternity yesterday. They hovered around in the corner of First and Ash or upon the outside in small little knots of two and three discussed in subdued tones the merits and demerits of the dead man and the actions of his slayer both past and present. Who has gone so well all loved in respect to the dead man's memory, and the gamblers naturally adjourned to the corbelstone their usual place of debate and resort. A live gambler is worth a dozen dead ones, and Jimmy being beyond mortal aid, a disposition manifested itself among the majority of the sports of the pastebosted to help Acock out. His friends were profuse in declarations as to the justification of the act while Morey's companions were extremely quiet and said little of the affair.

A day long dock was visited at the city jail by his companions. He seemed to regret the situation slightly, but in no degree manifested.

It is astonishing what quiet people come here and start at murder. No one as though it were a regret beautiful.

How about the shooting it required the reporter.

One of us two had to be killed. That fact was plain to forty men before the killing. It's over and that him he was allowed to.

For some reason Acock was not arraigned in the police court yesterday but will have to examination this afternoon at o'cl

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# THE NEXT PRESIDENT.

## Mr. Arthur will be One of the Republican Candidates.

PROMOTED.

Blaine a Weak Candidate—Logan Would be the Strongest—Sherman Might Be Nominated—Lincoln.

Correspondence of

WASHINGTON, July [illegible]

the idea of Arthur's nomination has its own origin till the figures presented by the [illegible] New York Times in a recent morning. From early days [illegible] sentiment in the presidential [illegible] in Mr. Arthur's [illegible] to the presidential [illegible] it seemed to me [illegible] set out with the idea of [illegible] ating a plan to be heard of the American people, and he had he might also win the presidency on his own account. It would be the first time in our history that any [illegible] vice president who came into the presidency by accident. I have looked the recently with a number of leading politicians on the subject, and will give a summary of the opinions. The circumstances which made Arthur president were circumstances which made Arthur president were of such a very bitter feeling existed against him personally, as well as against the [illegible] he represented. This bitterness on both sides is so intense [illegible] that [illegible] it seemed to me less than [illegible] ridiculous that Arthur should have even entertained hopes of being himself elected.

"We have passed over a wide stretch of political [illegible] since the day when Mr. Arthur came over from Long Branch to take possession of the White House. Time has been a relentless enemy in [illegible] to the administration. Time has an admirer [illegible] the [illegible] administration. Time has an admirer [illegible] the republican party, as you shall subscribe to [illegible] wing of the republican party, as you shall subscribe to [illegible] nothing, somewhere about [illegible] yet, but I have made up my mind, and without applying that [illegible] he has done, and without applying that [illegible] he has done, and without applying that [illegible] he has done